Daily

# LYXOR / SANDLER US EQUITY FUND - CLASS A USD

#### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The Trading Strategy's investment objective is to achieve capital appreciation across shifting economic and market environments, through both long and short positions in equities which are mainly but not exclusively listed on North American Recognized Markets. The short exposures will be achieved only through the use of FDI.

#### MONTHLY COMMENTARY

During the month, long positions detracted 1.1% from performance while short positions added 0.1%, on a gross basis. At the sector level, positions in Materials added most to performance during the month, followed by positions in Financials, Consumer Staples, and Healthcare. Positions in Information Technology detracted most from performance during the month, followed by positions in Communication Services, Real Estate, Industrials and Tactical Market Indices. The Fund's delta-adjusted exposure averaged approximately 5% net long and 62% gross during the month On a beta-adjusted basis, the Fund's exposure averaged approximately 4% net long and 74% gross. The Fund ended the month with delta-adjusted exposure of 8% net long and 65% gross.

The fund had its second consecutive challenging month to start the year, particularly in light of its net positioning. Higher quality stocks significantly underperformed lower quality stocks for the month, by as much as 9% according to some measures. The change to overall positioning during the month was minimal as Sandler Capital don't expect quality to continue to underperform if equities remain under pressure and the crises in the Ukraine certainly makes the macro outlook more uncertain and complex. The only sector in which net exposure changed by more than a point during the month was Financials, for which they reduced net short exposure by just under 2 points. They also reduced cyclical exposure slightly during the month. Beta-adjusted net exposure went up by about 5 points, but this was primarily driven by betas shifting lower for some of the more volatile short names.

#### **FUND FACTS**

Valuation Day

Legal Structure	Sub-Fund Of Lyxor Newcits IRL PLC
Inception Date of the Fund	November 15, 2016
Inception Date of the Class	March 5, 2019
Share Class Currency	USD
Available Currency Classes	FUR GRP USD

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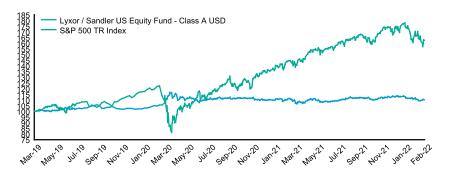
Lyxor Asset Management S.A.S. Investment Manager Sub-Investment Manager Sandler Capital Management CACEIS FASTNET IRELAND LIMITED Administrator

Liquidity (1) Daily Subscription/Redemption Notice On D day 10:00 AM (Dublin time)

Total Fund Assets (M USD) 1,224 Management Fee (2) Up to 2.15 % Class Performance Fee (2) Up to 20 % Administration Fee (2) (3) Up to 0.25%

Long Exposure 36.41% Short Exposure 28.65% Net Exposure (long - short) 7.75% Gross Exposure (long + short) 65.06%

#### PERFORMANCE SINCE INCEPTION

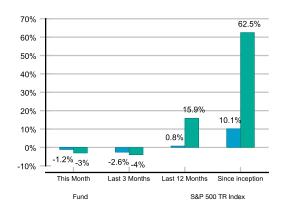


## HISTORICAL MONTHLY RETURNS

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2022	-1.97%	-1.16%											-3.11%
2021	-0.78%	0.24%	-1.20%	1.87%	-0.88%	0.30%	2.20%	-0.08%	-0.78%	1.48%	0.53%	0.57%	3.43%
2020	2.11%	1.23%	7.36%	-2.84%	0.65%	-0.55%	1.60%	-0.14%	0.01%	-0.31%	-0.68%	-0.78%	7.57%
2019			1.15%	-0.37%	1.43%	0.01%	0.75%	2.58%	-2.10%	-1.17%	0.30%	-0.39%	2.14%*

<sup>\*</sup> Since inception: March 5, 2019

#### PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS



## **RISK ANALYSIS**

	Since in	Since inception		
	Fund	Index*		
Volatility	7.13%	21.09%		
Sharpe ratio	0.35	0.80		
Maximum DrawDown	-8.74%	-33.51%		

\*S&P 500 TR Index

Official Fund NAV is calculated on a daily basis, subject to holidays & certain extraordinary events.Performance is based on the Fund's last official NAV, and the Index level as of the same day. These indicators are based upon weekly returns calculation.

## IMPORTANT NOTE

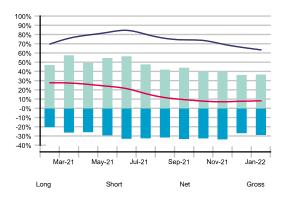
Official NAV is calculated every day, subject to holidays & certain extraordinary events. Performance based on the Fund's last official NAV, and the Index level as of the same day.
The Fund complies with the UCITS Directive and has been approved by the Bank of Ireland on September 12th, 2016. Please refer to the prospectus for a full disclosure of fund characteristics.
(1) Under normal market conditions, Lyxor intends to offer the LUQUIDITY mentioned above. However, the LUQUIDITY is not guaranteed and there are circumstances under which such LIQUIDITY may not be possible. Please refer to the Fund's legal documentation for complete terms and conditions.
(2) For any additional information regarding fees, please refer to the relevant fees section of the Fund's Prospectus.
(3) The Fund is subject to an Administrative Expenses Fee at a rate of up to 0.25% of the Net Asset Value of each Class of the Fund per annum

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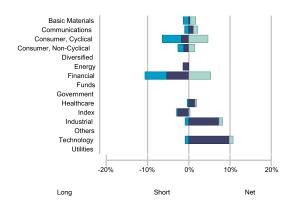


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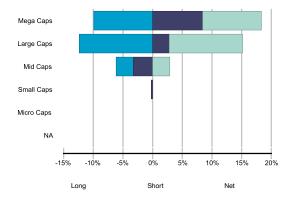
## MONTHLY STRATEGY EXPOSURE FOR LAST 12 MONTHS



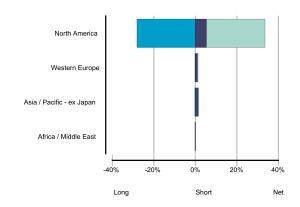
# SECTOR ALLOCATION



## CAPITALISATION BREAKDOWN

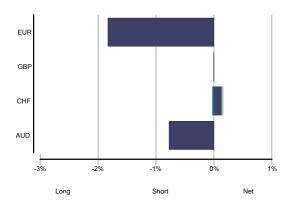


## **GEOGRAPHICAL BREAKDOWN**

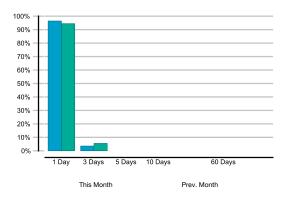


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#### **CURRENCY FX RISK**



# **EQUITY LIQUIDATION SCENARIO**



The percentage of the equity asset that can be liquidated in the designated number of business days, assuming the sub investment manager is limited to selling no more than 25% of the average daily trading volume over last 60 business days. Average daily trading volume data is sourced from Bloomberg. For any security for which average trading volume was not available, it was assumed that the position could not be liquidated in one month

## MAIN RISKS

Risk of losses: The price of Shares can go up as well as down and investors may not realise their initial investments. The investments and the positions held by the Fund are subject to (i) fluctuations in the Strategy (ii) market fluctuations, (iii) reliability of counterparties and (iv) operational efficiency in the actual implementation of the investment policy adopted by the Fund in order to realise such investments or take such positions. Consequently, the investments of the Fund are subject to, inter alia, the risk of declines in the Strategy (which may be abrupt and severe), market risks, credit exposure risks and operational risks. At any time, the occurrence of any such risks is likely to generate a significant depreciation in the value of the Shares. Due to the risks embedded in the investment objective adopted by the Fund value of the Shares may decrease substantially and even fall to zero, at any time.

Counterparty risk: the Fund is exposed to the risk that any credit institution with which it has concluded an agreement or a transaction could become insolvent or otherwise default. If such an event occurs, you could lose a significant part of your investment.

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Operational risk and asset custody risk: in the event of an operational failure within the management company, or one of its representatives, investors could experience delays or other disruptions.

Liquidity risk: in certain circumstances, financial instruments held by the Fund or to which the value of the Fund is linked could suffer a temporary lack of liquidity. This could cause the Fund to lose value, and/or to temporarily suspend the

publication of its net asset value and/or to refuse subscription and redemption requests.

Risk of using FDI: the Fund invests in financial derivative instruments in order to reach its investment objective. These instruments may include a range of risks which could lead to their adjustment or result in their early termination. This could lead to the loss of a part of your investment.

Capital at risk: the initial capital invested is not guaranteed. As a consequence, investor's capital is at risk and the amount originally invested may not be recovered.



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